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THE STREHLI LAW.

An Effort in the House to Have It Repealed

OBJECTIONS MADE BY GRIFFIN

Two Bills in the House With the Same Object in View—Several Bills Passed and a Number of Others Introduced—Proceedings of the General Assembly—Other Ohio State Dispatches.

COLUMBUS, O Feb 7—The house passed Mr Avery's senate bill authorizing Cleveland to establish and maintain a city manual school and to provide for the management of such an institution

Mr McMicken's senate bill providing that when cities and villages do not demand and receive their portion of the bridge tax the commissioners shall construct and keep in repair all bridges in such cities and villages was passed

Representative Stone, on leave introduced a bill to repeal the Strehli street railroad law He tried to secure a suspension of the constitutional rule in order that the bill might be read a second time for the purpose of reference but was prevented from doing so by objection on the part of Mr Griffin and others No parliamentary question was raised, as Representative Paxton who intended to make the point that two bills to repeal the Strehli law could not be introduced was not in his seat when Mr Stone introduced his bill

Mr Webb's senate bill to authorize the change of name of May Russell to John M Russell was passed

Mr Grieve's house bill to pay John Preston of Noble county $10 for expenses in recruiting for the Seventy seventh regiment O V I in 1862 by order of his commanding officer was defeated—yeas 4 nays 59

Mr Elder's house bill to authorize the trustees of the Ohio State University to refuse certain certificates of indebtedness was passed

House bills by Mr Bolton authorizing the commissioners of Pike county to transfer funds and to levy special tax were passed

A poll of the house will be taken to ascertain how many members were in favor of changing their votes from next week to next month

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COUNTY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Announcement of names for county offices in this column will cost $3 00 which must accompany the order for the publication

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We are authorized to announce the name of ELIAS H SHOOK of German township as a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election

We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE D KANAWEL of Lima as a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democratic primary convention

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INFIRMARY DIRECTOR

We are authorized to announce the name of E B MANAHAN of Auglaize township as a candidate for Infirmary Director subject to the Democratic county primary

The strife for Republican nomination for Mayor and Street Commissioner is being carried on with a degree of vigor that suggests that they think an election possible

The following beautiful instance of mixed metaphor is copied verbatim from a brief filed recently by counsel in a case pending in the Supreme Court of North Carolina. 'We conclude this argument by remarking that, however formidable an army that the opposing counsel has made by his many exceptions and prayers for instructions, that they are but straws forming a rope of sand when opposed to the clear principles of law and equitable jurisprudence.'

There are people born and bred in cities who continue to express all their wants and opinions in 300 words, and in many rural districts the knowledge of 150 to 200 words appears to be sufficient to carry a man 'through the world.' The more highly educated and cultivated the class of society, the greater the number of words used in ordinary conversation but apart from those of a technical character, the knowledge of 400 or 500 words would enable any one to make himself understood in ordinary conversation among any class of society in any foreign tongue

A judicious selection made at the Democratic primaries in Lima this spring will enable the Democracy to elect a full ticket, including Mayor, Solicitor Street Commissioner, City Engineer and members of the Council and Water Works Board. The administrative affairs of this city have for several years been under the control of the opposition and as a result, our affairs are not in the condition they should be. In no branch of our municipal government have affairs been administered to the satisfaction of a majority of our taxpayers, and a change is demanded. Let the Democrats be careful in making the nominations to select men who will well represent the people, and they can carry the city and capture every branch of the municipal government.

Some figures published by Mr John Scott in the Glasgow *Herald* regarding the cost of England's recent coal strikes will give an idea of the enormous loss involved in those industrial struggles. The normal output of coal in England during the sixteen weeks of the strike declined from 63,000,000 tons to 39,000,000 tons, by a comparison of the quantity of coal ordinarily used in various industries with that consumed by them during the continuance of the strike Mr Scott has estimated the amount of loss suffered by various trades. The miners surrendered £4,860,000, the ironworkers were deprived of £8,610,000, factory and workshop hands of £4,468,000, and other losses bring the amount up to £18,208,000. The loss of net profits Mr Scott estimates at £13,755,615 shared as follows by the various interests conserned. Coal owners £2,430,000 ironmasters, £1,755,172, pottery owners, etc, £153,028 factory owners, £1,381,100, railways, £3,050 565 shipping, £1,212,500 gas and water companies, £647,650, shopkeepers £7,641,600. Further, householders and other private consumers of coal paid £1,967,000 in increased prices.

Adding all these losses together the enormous figure is reached of £13,231,215 or over $166,000,000—more than one-half the total ordinary annual revenue of the United States. Yet even these enormous figures fail to tell the whole truth.

The Cleveland *Plain Dealer* suggests the following under the head of 'A Proposed Democratic Revenue Tariff Law.'

Whereas it has been the policy of the Democratic party from the days of Jefferson, though the long and illustrious line of his successors in Democratic leadership, from Madison to Cleveland, to support tariffs for revenue and

Whereas it is a fundamental principle of the Democratic party that the government has the constitutional right to collect duties for the purpose of revenue and

Whereas such duties should be limited to the necessities of the government, honestly and economically administered and

Whereas the old Democratic doctrine of 'equal rights to all and special privileges to none' demands a uniform rate of tariff taxes

Therefore we recommend the passage by Congress of the following

1 Be it enacted that on every article or thing imported into the United States from a foreign country there shall be levied and collected an impost duty of 33 per cent ad valorem excepting only gold and silver bars or coins and the goods of foreign ministers duly accredited to the United States.

2 Whenever the aggregate revenues derived from such impost duties shall exceed $33,000 000 the expenses of the government, economically administered the President of the United States shall be authorized to reduce by proclamation the rate of duties thereafter from 33 to 30 per cent the same to take effect at the close of the next fiscal year, after such proclamation.

3 This act shall take effect at the beginning of the next fiscal year after its passage.

Physical culture and Elocution

'Get the best must be the motto for Americans in everything. There is no doubt of the necessity for physical culture and elocutionary training in every school in this country. Young Americans of the coming generation must be as manifold rounded as the ancient gods whom perhaps they will resemble intellectually. But there never ring fictions of boiler trusts. There are divers so called systems of elocution. Watch out for Communist philosophers will guide the seeker after information straight through all uncertainties.

Hurry to the points. Whatever physical training does not make its teachers at once graceful and full of health and vigor is future. If the teacher who pretends to be in love with the science of making muscular movement express mental emotions is bored both to tears should herd and sally forth, out in places where she ought to go in bolting in at places where she ought to be filled out then that system is rotten and though she poses like all the gods of Olympus. The direct object of physical culture is to give health, strength and gracefulness for everyday life, to cure our dyspepsia, our waddling our fat or our scragginess and toeing in. Many wise persons are coming to the conclusion that just the plain, modern military drill without any frills at all is the best for all these objects.

In elocution if the teacher speaks with a manifestly stilted affectedly sweet or deep voice and no matter then he or she is to be satisfied and not tolerated. What we Americans most of all want is to learn to open our mouths wider when we speak to make the muscles of the jaws and throat more flexible to stop mouthing and nosing our words and to let them flow in sweet clear even tones without being obstructed either in the back of the throat or the nasal passages. There, for the average citizen all training should stop. Of detestable things, the most to be detested is affectation in any shape. Better with the crude and ready unmistakable tones of the boor than affectation. On the other hand there is no charm greater than that of a sweet clear, cultivated, artistic voice.

Practical Training

Miss Kathrine Conan who has charge of the political economy department of Wellesley wants her pupils to be practical stateswomen. To this end she sends them into the business of associated charities in Boston, to labor unions, to tenement houses and to manufactories. She hopes that such methods will ultimately lead to a day when women will study the great questions of their times.—Boston Commonwealth.

In the Air

Nova Scotia follows the lead of New Zealand as Colorado followed the lead of Wyoming, in granting full suffrage to women. This thing must be in the air. The noise of it is heard all around—from Big Horn river to Long Island, from the straits of Canso to the City of Plenty. Even here it is talked of by many other people besides Mr Lin Devereux Blake.—Exchange.

"I have used 3 bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and it has done me more good than all others." Alfred C Hochstetter, Lima, Ohio

THE WAGE QUESTION.

AS TAXES ON MATERIALS DIMINISH SO DOES LABOR PROFIT

Protection Enriches the Employer and Fills the Mines and Factories With Poles and Huns—How Protection Made Barons Speak of Their Feudal Tenantry.

Here is a part of what Chairman William L Wilson said on the wage question in his great speech:

The workingman's wages depend on the products of his labor. Whatever goes into that labor as a tax on the material he uses is so much diminution of the wages of the laboring man. As you cheapen his material you widen the field for the product he makes. With untaxed iron and untaxed steel in its crudest forms and including coal and wood, you allow him to put his finished fabrics on the market at a rate that will double and even quadruple increase the number of the consumers, that will widen the field for his products and in this way secure to him abundant work increased wages and that personal independence that he can never enjoy under a closed high tariff market.

Trusts combinations, great corporate capital, may thrive in a closed market because they can control the output and regulate prices to secure their profits, but all of that is done at the cost of the personal independence and the wages of the great body of the laboring men of this country.

Years ago in an inquiry conducted by the distinguished senator from Vermont (Mr Morrill) into the relations between labor and capital the president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers testified in substance that it was not the tariff that made their wages but it was their own organizations, their power to combine their power to treat on equal terms with their employers that gave them the lever—the engine by which they could secure for themselves good profitable and paying wages.

With the entire world for our market with South American clodes and our iron and steel products and Russia and Asia and Africa as customers with all our mills running with orders ahead, labor can control its own wages.

The question of wages was the vital question of all this night thunder at the tariff reform. I am willing to base the whole controversy on the consideration of this question of wages alone. If protection increased wages and made work for the laboring people and improved the well being of the American laborer, I would be rather for protectionist. But neither I nor any one else gives countenance to any such idea. The wages of the laborer are paid from the products of labor. The general principle recognized every country determines the wages of the laboring people of that country. The general intelligence of the laboring people of a country also in equal measure determines the wages of the laboring people of that country. We have higher nominal daily wages in this country than elsewhere, first because we are a race of newer country in an era of development and secondly because we have the most intelligent self respecting laboring man in all the world and any industry that cannot maintain itself except by taxation on the people of the country instead of increasing the wages to the extent of the protection diminishes the wages rate of all the laboring people of the country. Every industry that leans upon taxation for its support that calls upon the law to make the consumers of its products pay more than they would otherwise be obliged to pay for them whatever we may call it, is a pauper industry supported by the self supporting industries of the country.

Even if it were true that the tariff upon the protected goods mentioned in its schedules was laid for the purpose of protecting the American laborer and giving him certain wages how is it possible that a tariff which under the latest and most accurate analysis only touches in that way the wages of 5 per cent of the laboring people of this country could increase the wages of the other 95 per cent? So far from an increase wages the effect of the protective system has been to lower the wages of all the industries of the country.

Any one who will read the successive reports of Colon D Carroll Wright when he was labor commissioner of the state of Massachusetts will learn the history of the manufactures of those who were then called the cheap men of the east, the French Canadians into the textile mills of New England. Any one who will read the volumes of testimony taken by the general assembly of New Hampshire (Mr Blair) when he was doing his senatorial investigation will find in the testimony of John J Smith and others how in the great Amoskeag mills of Manchester machinery was constantly displacing skilled American labor and imported foreign labor was constantly displacing the cheap unskilled American labor. There is one fact which may not have attracted general attention. Why is it that in very many reports of the American Iron and Steel association along with the statistics of the production and of the trade in iron and steel and coal there is also carefully prepared statistics of foreign immigration? Why is it that it always tries to parade to specify the number who have come over last year from Hungary and Poland and Italy and those countries whose people are producing the cheap workers in the mines of Pennsylvania and around the rolling mills of Pennsylvania? For what reason except for the purpose of telling the manufacturers of the increasing supply of their labor, does it always include in the annual report these statistics of the immigration of labor?

It was stated by the men who represented the labor organizations that the employer and the laborer were drifting further and further apart that there were no longer the pleasant and friendly relations between them that there had been in the past.

It was stated that however laborers went and demanded or asked for an increase of wages it was not in what the luxury or wealth of an employer or extravagance their employer might be living, the constant and invariable answer was that they were making nothing, and that there was no money in the business out of which they could raise the wages of the laboring men. And so stunned and so entirely perverted have become the relations between the laborer and employer that the workingmen who represent the great employers of the country begin to use language about their labor such as kings use about their subjects alone. Here in the report of the American Iron and Steel association for 1893, were these words:

During 1892 there occurred the most serious rebellion against employers of organized labor in the iron trade that has ever taken place in this country.

Language drawn from the fealty of a subject to his government or to the king and unconsciously applied to the dealing of a land of workingmen in this country against their employers!

A rebellion of organized labor against their employers, a breach of allegiance to the feudatory lord of the manor and the baron of the castle by insurrectionists! That added to the excellence of the comparison. It goes on to say that the result was that the Carnegie works broke up the organization and started and are running today as other works in that section of Pennsylvania are running on nonunion labor. Put down the rebellion broke up the organization and received the individual members back as individuals but not as members of the organization. Broke up the organization of labor to protect them on a manhood and the wages of their labor.

The Potteries Protest

Of all the selfish and impudent protests against the Wilson bill that of the Pottery trust is the most flagrant.

These manufacturers have not only made an average cut of 10 per cent in wages months before the bill can pass but threaten an additional reduction of 20 per cent in case the Wilson tariff bill becomes a law—thus by way of driving their workingmen to stump petitions and attend meetings against the reform measure.

Reducing wages is not a new thing with the Pottery trust. Its members secured in the McKinley bill an advance of the protection on their products equivalent to 20 per cent. A portion of the combine at Trenton within three months afterward made a reduction of 22 per cent in wages which led to a long and costly strike. First there was no occasion for this any more than there is for the 20 per cent cut ers over 38 per cent average duty as proved by the facts as to the trust published in the Philadelphia Press and some McKinley organ thus puts part charged that the trust is monopolistic in its tendency and that the effect of its is to limit the production and to maintain exorbitant prices of sanitary goods an attack of common decency. That the trust pointed to by the monopoly is shown by facts published in the same connection, including an admission of prominent stockholders that the profits in 1891 were almost one third of the capital stock invested and averaged 22½ to 29 per cent upon a watered valuation.

This is but a sample of the combinations which after long succeeded in the really big protection Wilson bill a duty more than covering the difference in labor cost between the country and foreign competition fight the reduction as an invasion of vested rights! The reform was not undertaken to sustain—New York World.

Sensible Working Men

An interesting glimpse upon the campaign which the protected manufacturers are waging against the Wilson bill is shown in the result of a meeting of workingmen which the Reform club had called in Amsterdam N Y. The workingmen who attended in great numbers had been induced by the manufacturers to believe that if the bill would not be in operation Mr Thomas G Shearman and distributed him in every imaginable way. But Mr Shearman was very sensible to convince his hearers that they had believed to false prophets. His auditors were convinced that the workingman had to and now I get their just and at the close of the meeting joined in passing resolutions in favor of the Wilson bill, although they had come with other intentions.

If you can only get the workmen to learn both sides then opposition to the high tariff is not to be questioned. Mr Shearman and the Reform clubs deserve great recognition for their efforts to bring to light the lying campaign of the high protectionists.—New Yorker Staats Zeitung.

Its Object Time

Early in 1877 the citizens of New York, with its 800 000 souls had long been supplied with mowed hay from Connecticut and butter and cheese, chickens and other vegetables from the thrifty farms of New Jersey.

This truck it was observed gained thousands of dollars out of the city and into the pockets of distant Yankees and despised Jerseymen. It was ruinous to domestic industry and the men of New York. It must be stopped by those effective remedies of the Sing-Sing school of economic doctors—a protection act and a protective tariff. Acts were accordingly passed obliging every Yankee sloop which came through Hell Gate and every Jersey market boat which was rowed across from Paulus Hook to Cortlandt street to pay such onerous and odious duties at the custom house just as was done by ships from London or Hamburg and not a cartload of Connecticut firewood could be delivered at the back door of a New York house will out paying tariff duties.—Critical Period of American History.

Celluloid Cuts For Printing.

By improved methods now followed in the art it is said that the manufacture of celluloid plates can now be made for printing purposes which are in every way equal to electrotype plates. These celluloid plates are claimed are equal to the electrotypes in sharpness of face and superior for durability the plates not being affected by any of the fancy colored inks and the work being done in far less time than now required. This process of making plates is well adapted for the reproduction of fine lace patterns, coats of arms itself being directly impressed upon the celluloid.—Philadelphia Record.

Actual business is what reveal the extent of the trade depression during the past year in this country. In the textile industry returns show that business during 1893 was one third less than in 1892. How railroad earnings were affected is known in Massachusetts at least. Out of 51 roads in the state only 32 declared dividends. So far as both freight and passenger traffic go the railroads of Massachusetts are among the best patronized in the country.

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A SUMMER VERSELET

Down toward a pretty lass she strolled a girl with city hair
Upon the dress she chanced to wear
Which set off the pale blue ruffles and the dainty air
Which showed her lovely back and neck, suggesting at the summer sky
Such a maid was gentle Mamie how he hailed her lady fair.

Little fewer were the rakes by her reception room
Than they were at the swell assemblies of the breaking of the day
Mamie had the Mamie Lahan Mamie had a choice you bet!
Mamie Minnie how he hailed him Mamie how he hailed her lady fair.

On the bracket of the hall rack in the vestibule
Mamie had
And the rights that she exhibited did not fool
Laughed at the rain that fell that night Mamie had the forethought
Mamie had the umbrella fair.

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Mamie had the umbrella fair.

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—Detroit Free Press.

Plowing and Its Diagram

Here is a boy's composition on breathing. Breath is inspired air. We breathe with our lungs our lights our liver and kidneys. If it wasn't for our breath we should die when we slept. Our air is kept through the lungs. Boys that stay in a room all day should not breathe. They should walk till they get out of doors. Boys in a room make bad manufacture of that it first they would not breath the spirit. Mr Thomas G Sherman and distributed him in every imaginable way. But Mr Sherman was very sensible to convince his hearers that they had believed to false prophets. His auditors were convinced that the workingman had to and now I get their just and at the close of the meeting joined in passing resolutions in favor of the Wilson bill, although they had come with other intentions.

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Dr Hand's Colic Cure in Ohio

CLEVELAND, O May 4th 1893

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Yesterday [illegible] only seven [illegible] [illegible] 50 000 and it will be paid by the Metropolitan Traction company of New York city to the inventor who can devise ways to make stock cars much quicker than by the cattle without hurt without any overhead wires and without dirt. Electric wires anywhere that can be crossed with perfect safety by one walking along the street. The motive power is of course expected to be electricity either in the storage battery or underground conduit. The difficulty to be overcome is that of insulation. Now there never was an obstacle that could not be overcome or got around by the ingenuity of the human intellect. Failure at this life is for—to become obstacles and gain development thereby. It is certain that at the early years of the twentieth century will see just such a motive power as the Metropolitan Street Railway company of New York city are after. Many competitors for the $500 000 have already applied and one or two individuals are sure they have found the right thing. The offer, however, is still open.

New York city finds itself 700 weddings short for the year 1893. Thus a writer in the New York Press claims is not so much on account of the pinch as because of the growing disinclination of men to enter the matrimonial state. The disinclination is not due however, to lack of appreciation of women but to lack of means to support a wife. New York is the most expensive city in the world to live in.

Greatest of All Reforms

The Tribune maintains that no step than any other reform because including practically all any reforms is the question of equal suffrage.—Charlotte (Mich.) Tribune.

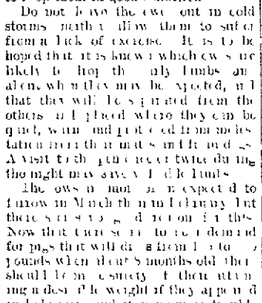
LIVE STOCK

A BEAUTIFUL ARABIAN

Horses That Were the Pride of a Man's Ransom.

In the illustration is seen a likeness of one of the most beautiful Arabian stallions ever brought to this country. He is owned in Wisconsin. A romantic story is told of the Arabian breed to which he belongs the Nedjid Hedjaz. A noted sire of this horse several generations back was the Arch stallion Gandin, the most highly prized horse in the stables of the viceroy of Egypt.

A brave and warlike Bedouin sheik was taken prisoner by Mehemet Ali many years ago. He languished in confinement 20 years. On the accession of Abbas to the Egyptian throne the Bedouin was set free by the viceroy on one condition. It was that he should bring



ARABIAN STALLION.

to the royal stables a number of horses of the purest, choicest strain of the Nedjid Hedjaz blood. He promised faithfully and was secretly liberated. He kept his promise and sent to Abbas some of the most precious horses of all Arabia among them Gadir the sire four generations back of Gadrim the horse in the picture. The Arabian horses are noted for their wide forehead and fine silky hair. The Russian Orloff gets his silken coat from his original blood. The Arab is full of always a low flowing tail slender legs small feet and small head. Their necks are high giving him a stately spirited look. By the way Lowande Hedjaz is left with instructions perhaps some day to send the Arab stallion of any of our American breed.

Live Stock in February

The man who for 1 hours scarcely differ in the feet of the other wanted months excepting that the stock needs more care particularly when the crow me to drop their lives in the early spring. As they grow heavy there is greater danger of injury from slipping from hay and from various kinds of cold water. Their ration should be reduced in quality and bulky foods like grain clover and cut should not be fed sparingly for old cows that have been fully grained but having less protein. Calves or those on skim milk have become from infancy should not be fed with the ration should not be fed. And the effects should be carefully watched. The best hay is none too good for them or not the cow that is doing limited soon. Give the hay. Thus with the roots several times a day in addition and a little wheat bran meal mixed to keep them in good condition.

Do not have the cows out in cold storms nor allow them to suffer from lack of exercise. It is to be hoped that all persons know which cows are likely to lay only limbs and also which they may be spared, and that they will be separated from the others and placed where they can be quiet, warm and comfortable. Separation from the bulls until the middle of May is best. A visit to the cow every two days during the night may save a calf's life.

The cows must not be expected to furnish much milk in February but there should be a decided gain in flesh. Now that cows are to be turned to pasture which will be often 1 to 2 months old they should be in such a thrifty condition that the weight of the appetite is not too much upon them. With cows for the spring pigs in the cold field not be satisfactory but it is well to have a few warmer days that occasionally appear. We would advise every farmer who has pigs to plan for his spring pigs in February and his fall pigs in July or August. The litter will then all be sufficient size and strength to continue growing and fattening during the winter if given good warm quarters comfortable and good food.

It may be time still more to make them than it would for the spring pigs but no pains American Cultivator.

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I have just finished feeding 60 head of corn and have fixed my crop for the winter. I also have 40 two year old wethers and have received from the Holt Live Stock Improvement Co 60 of fine young sheep and lambs. These are now running on my ranch on the Bijou 6000 acres and by Dec 1st they will be ready for the fat stock shows. The lambs are fed on alfalfa hay and grain and will be ready for the Chicago market by the first of May. I will have 1000 head of cattle and sheep on my ranch this winter. I have 1000 acres of alfalfa and 1000 acres of corn. I have 1000 head of cattle and sheep on my ranch this winter. I have 1000 acres of alfalfa and 1000 acres of corn.

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...hands and yesterday at my Berkshire farm and have two loads of Black Faces now ready to ship to Chicago. These sheep were entered on all the and when I consider that when it 60 cents a hundredweight is worth more in mutton than in flour. My mutton is fine and I expect to get the market.—Cor Prairie Farmer.

LEAPED TO FAME AT A BOUND

Prof Sargent's Last Lecture Before an English Institute Audience.

About 40 years ago the late Dr Benoe Jones was the leader of all scientific organizations in England. To him came one day in Germany a letter couched by Professor Dubois Raymond in something like these terms: 'You English are the oddest people. Here is our Liebig stories comes every year a young Irish schoolmaster called Tyndall with the quickest brain the most honest capacity for research I have ever seen. Would that our German youths were run from the same mold. This brilliant young fellow has never received the smallest recognition or encouragement from English institutions or from the scientific men of England and he tells me today that quite disheartened at last he is preparing to emigrate to America.'

Dr Benoe Jones was not the man to listen to such an appeal in vain. Tyndall was crossing London in preparation for going to the Atlantic. Benoe Jones waylaid him and in such a manner and the speed of his steps and grand akeit and determination to make him. After the conversations Jones said: 'I will not take you much longer. I think you can keep up the pace. I shall announce that you will lecture at the Royal Institution. The announcement was made and all London to hear Benoe Jones would hear him. As the great physician drove his carriage down to Albemarle street he suddenly exclaimed:

But Tyndall where are your notes?

Notes was the reply. I invent my notes.

Notes! Benoe Jones rejoined in alarm. No notes. Do you realize that you are not going to address a crowd of high professors, but an audience of famous experts on your own subject?

Tyndall answered. Well I shall just stroll down now and Benoe Jones could not help admiring the coolness of the young lecturer.

The hall was crowded. All the leaders in science were present. Tyndall who had never lectured before, stepped into the famous somewhat tribune smiled bowed and poured forth the results of his marvelous researches without hesitation or pause. He did not address us in the manner of a lecture. He had become so absorbed in the most accomplished lecturer of the age.—Criterion.

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10		5 05 p m	6 20 p m
12	Stop at Elida	5 10 p m	5 40 p m
60	Sunday only	7 45 a m	7 50 a m
	SOUTH BOUND		
1		9 05 a m	9 45 a m
3		12 30 a m	12 50 p m
7		5 50 p m	6 15 p m
9		2 50 a m	3 10 a m
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	EAST BOUND		
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4	Mail	1 40 p	1 50 p m
2	Express	7 30 p m	7 40 p m
128	Minster accommodation	4 30 p m	

L. F. W. & C.

	EAST BOUND		
24		7 30 a m	
8		9 00 a m	
20		11 50 p m	
	Local freight	6 00 p m	
		5 25 a m	
	WEST BOUND		
23		9 30 a m	
5		2 50 p m	
15		6 00 p m	
	Local freight	11 30 p m	
		7 15 a m	

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11	Express daily except Sunday for Chicago and the West		9 10 a m
			7 00 a m
	WEST BOUND		
	Vestibule limited		8 45 p m
4	Express		6 55 a m
2	Accommodation		4 40 p m
			7 00 a m

C. L. & N.

	SOUTH BOUND	ARRIVE	LEAVE
No. 1			11 30 p m
No. 4		10 30 p m	
	SOUTH BOUND		
No. 2			3 00 p m

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CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The announcements of names of candidates for position on the city ticket will be published in this column for the price of $2 00, which must in all cases accompany the copy

MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of THOMAS GREENLAND, Sr., as a Democratic candidate for nomination for Mayor of Lima.

COUNCILMAN.

EDITOR TIMES-DEMOCRAT:

DEAR SIR:—The extremities of the hour require the exercise of prudence and economy in every department. The true exponents of these principles are best fitted to represent the wishes of the public. We hereby announce the name of John Bland as candidate for member of City Council, for First Ward.

MANY CITIZENS.

Lima, Ohio, Jan. 24.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN M. McVEY as a candidate for the nomination as a member of the Council from the First Ward, subject to the decision of the Democratic city primaries.

WATER WORKS TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE HEFFNER as candidate for nomination for Water Works Trustee.

CITY CIVIL ENGINEER.

We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES PILLARS as candidate for nomination for City Civil Engineer—for second term.

STREET COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of THOMAS W. JOHNS, as a candidate for nomination for Street Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce the name of MICHAEL BOURKE as a candidate for nomination for Street Commissioner of the City of Lima.

We are authorized to announce the name of HENRY O'BRIEN as a candidate for nomination for Street Commissioner, of Lima, subject to the decision of the Democratic city primary.

EDITOR TIMES-DEMOCRAT: Please announce my name as a candidate for Street Commissioner subject to the decision of the Democrat party.

Yours,
STEPHEN KALIHER.

We are authorized to announce the name of F. X. GALARNEAU, as candidate for nomination for Street Commissioner of Lima.

We are authorized to announce the name of WILLIAM RACOME as a candidate for nomination for Street Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic city primary.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

Wilbur Fisk has been appointed receiver of the Lima Brewing Company. He gave $50,000 bond.

The case in Mayor's court against John Kunzleman, who was arrested by Lieutenant Phalen, for fighting, was continued indefinitely this morning.

The February Number of GOODS AND FABRICS.

Published by G. E. Bluem, 57 Public Square, is now in and can be had free of charge by asking for it. Every one ought to have one as it is indeed quite an interesting journal.
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Buried this Afternoon.

The funeral services of Thomas H. Tate, an account of whose death appeared in the TIMES-DEMOCRATIC yesterday, will be held from the residence of G. W. Mower, 726 East High street, at two o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

The Lima Choral Society

will leave to-morrow morning at 9:15 for the Marysville Eisteddfod. Nearly one hundred people will go on the excursion. The fare will be $2.25. 1t

Notice.

LIMA, O., Feb. 3, 1894.

On and after this date I will not pay any bills contracted by my wife.
8 W 8 R. K. S. ALLEBACH.

Virginia Apples.

By the 16th of this month P. Dingledine, of 617 South Pine street, will have another car of Virginia Apples for sale. 95 3t

Set It Aside.

One of the most important cases that has been tried at the present term of court was that begun yesterday afternoon on an application to set aside the sale of the Lima Tool Works, on account of not being properly advertised.

Judge Richie granted the application about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and ordered a new sale of the property.

WILL EXTEND.

A Bill Introduced to Aid the Ohio Southern.

Mention has been made in THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT about the desire Ohio Southern road to extend the south end of their line to Ports mouth, and to this end a bill was introduced into the legislature authorizing the State Board of Public Works to grant the Ohio Southern Railroad Company the right of way to construct, maintain and operate a railroad on the berme bank of the Ohio Canal, from the junction of the canal with the Scioto River at Portsmouth; through the counties of Scioto, Pike and Ross, to the intersection of the said canal with the north corporation line of Circleville. The railroad company is required to keep the berme bank in repair and not to obstruct navigation. The company is limited in its rights to the space actually occupied by tracks.

BLOWN OPEN.

Safe Robbers go Through a Deshler Bank.

They Secure Over Four Thousand Dollars and Destroy Half That Amount.

Safe crackers last night did not confine their operations to Lima alone.

This afternoon news reached the city that cracksmen had raided one of the banks at Deshler, drilled into the safe and blew it open.

They secured over $3,000 for their work and destroyed several thousand dollars, it being either blown to pieces or burned.

USED DYNAMITE.

DESHLER, O., Feb. 7.—(Special.)—The Bank of Deshler was last night dynamited by robbers who blew open the safe and almost completely destroyed the building.

They secured about $4,000 in good money. About $2,000 was destroyed. All the books, notes, etc., were destroyed, entailing a loss of probably $20,000. There is no clue.

MRS. McCULLOUGH DEAD.

She Passes Away This Morning About Seven O'clock.

Mrs. Sarah J. McCullough, wife of ex-Representative M. H. McCullough, died this morning about 7:15 o'clock, at their home on North Jackson street, after an illness of several months, but only being bed fast since last Friday. The cause of her death was heart disease, and several times since Friday and before the spark of life finally took its flight, she was near death's door but rallied, but her condition for the past few days was known to be hopeless.

She has been a sufferer from heart disease for the past ten years, and was also afflicted with stomach trouble. Everything possible was done for her relief, and a trip to California was made a couple years ago for that purpose, but without any good results.

The deceased was born in Pennsylvania, July 19th, 1829, her father, Mr. M. Kibben, removing to this county in 1834 and locating near where the McCullough residence now stands, which was in Bath township at that time. On Dec. 5th, 1853, she was married to Mr. McCullough. The husband and two sons, G. M. McCullough, the coal dealer on East Market street, and ex-City Engineer J. C. McCullough, survive her, as does a brother who lives in West Virginia.

Mrs. McCullough was a member of the West Market Street Presbyterian church and was a lifelong Christian.

The funeral services will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock from the residence.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and are Going.

D. A. McComb was in the city to-day.

Miss Maggie Devine is the guest of St. Marys' friends.

Ex-Mayor Burnett, of Springfield, was in town this afternoon.

Miss Ella Holihan left to-day for Quincy, to visit her parents.

Chas. McClay returned last evening from Piqua, where he was on business.

Mrs. W. O. Coon, of East Eureka street, has gone to Bluffton to visit for a few days.

Grant Parrish, in advance of Chas. A. Gardner, is at the Lima House, arranging for his show to appear here.

A. Fox went down to Piqua to-day to attend the funeral services of A. Wendel, one of the pioneers of that town.

Mrs. Willis A. Richie and mother, Mrs. Reed, of Spokane Falls, Wash., are the guests of Judge Richie and family.

C. F. Maurer and wife have been called to Sidney by the sickness and death of his mother, Mrs. Barbara Maurer.

Miss Etta Goldsmith has returned from a visit in Philadelphia accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Frank Nirdlinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Snodgrass, of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Mrs. Alexander Snodgrass, of Beaver Dam, are the guests of Wm. Copus and family, of East North street.

Michael

will save you money on clothing and shoes. Attend the Clearance Sale at the Opera House block stores. 93 7t

CRACKED

The Big Safe in the Standard Oil Company's Office.

One Huge Door Torn Off and the Safe Completely Wrecked.

The Steel Money Box Pried Out and Carried Away by the Thieves.

Who Secure in the Neighborhood of One Hundred Dollars.

The Job Evidently the Work of Professionals—The Explosion Shook the Neighborhood, But the Cause Was Not Learned Until This Morning.

The best and most complete job of safe cracking that has been done in Lima for a long time was successfully executed last night about 11 o'clock, when the big safe in the office of the Standard Oil Company, located on East Pearl street, was blown open, completely wrecked and gutted, the steel money box pried out and carried away by the cracksmen.

The safe is about five feet high and four feet wide, and is used for storing papers, etc., more than the keeping of money. The paper being of no use to anyone except the company and so prevent the safe from being wrecked by cracksmen when there was nothing of value to be secured, Manager Elliott hung a card on the doors containing the combination to the safe so that should anyone visit the office with the intention of cracking it they would be saved the trouble and at the same time the safe need not be blown to pieces in a useless effort. More or less cash is handled at the office for a few days after the first of every month, accounts becoming due at that time and remittances being sent in to square accounts. Local dealers usually pay in cash and this amounts to considerable. Yesterday about $100 was

RECEIVED AFTER BANKING HOURS

and as there was no more secure place to keep the money than the big safe, after the banks had closed, the card bearing the combination was detached and the safe locked.

This morning about seven o'clock Will Core, one of the employes, discovered the side door leading from the office into the yard standing open. He stepped inside and found the floor covered with debris and the big safe completely wrecked. One of the doors was lying on the floor about ten feet in front of the safe. The door, a ponderous one, had been hurled that distance by the explosion which had wrecked the safe, and a portion of the floor where it had landed, was broken. The space in front of the safe was strewn with pieces of iron, charred and blackened papers, and pieces of the wooden partitions which divided the interior of the safe into appartments for various uses. The steel money box was gone and it could be seen where it had been forced free from its fastenings. The curtains had been lowered at all the windows so as to obstruct view from the outside, and one of the office lamps was found on the floor in front of the safe, where it had been lighted and placed by the cracksmen so they could examine the papers and extract those of any value, should any of that character be found.

Manager Elliott was notified of the robbery at once, and hastened to the office. As near as can be estimated the robbers did not get more than $100, but their carrying off the cash box shows that it successfully

WITHSTOOD THE EXPLOSION

and that they had to carry it off with them and take chances on what it contained or go without any booty whatever. The box is about eight inches square.

Manager Elliott found everthing in his desk topsy-turvy. The desk is in another part of the office, a roll top affair and the upper right hand drawer was badly disfigured where it had been forced open. Papers, etc., were strewn about, but the only thing that has been missed so far was a Smith & Wesson revolver, the property of Mr. Elliott. An overcoat belonging to Will Core was also taken. On the floor in front of the safe was found a rasp, file with a screw driver point, a carpenter's brace and a one-half pint flask about one-fourth full of powder. The tools were all old and Chief Stockton learned later that they had been stolen from Slyth's blacksmith shop, on Union street. A pair of overshoes were also taken.

It was some time before the hole through which the powder had been poured, was found. One of the doors bore evidence of having been tampered with near the combination, but the job of drilling at that point was abandoned and a hole drilled down through the top, the powder poured in until it would contain no more, a fuse laid and then touched off, with the result as above described.

The explosion must have taken place about 11 o'clock, as some of the neighbors reported this morning as having heard a loud report about that hour.

THE JOB MUST HAVE TAKEN

the cracksmen a couple of hours at least to complete. They gained an entrance to the office by means of a side door which they pried open. After gaining the inside they took every precaution to escape detection. They not only pulled down the window curtains so that no one could see in, but shut off the natural gas and stopped the clock so as to not be annoyed at any noise and also to enable them to hear any one who might approach the building before they completed their work. Every thing was found just as the thieves had left them when they prepared for their work and had completed the job. After washing their hands they retraced their steps through the door they had gained an entrance into the office, leaving it open.

The police were notified by Manager Elliott soon after his arrival on the scene and Chief Stockton and Policemen Wingate and Marks visited the place and made a thorough investigation. It is their opinion that the work was that of professionals.

ROUND ABOUT.

"How's the campaign coming on, Republican candidate for Mayor Tom Calvert?"

"All right; but there's one thing I want to say right here and that is this: "I do not want anyone to believe the report being circulated by rival candidates that I have or intend to pull out of the race. I'm in this fight to win and to stay till the finish, and I want everybody to know it, reports to the contrary notwithstanding."

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A great fighting main will be pulled off near Deshler, next Friday or Saturday evening. The entertainment will open with a fight between Lima and Toledo cocks.

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The Lenten season began to-day. Lent is a fast of forty days, which immediately precedes Easter. The object has been disputed, but is generally regarded as a preparation for Easter, a time set apart for repentance. The first day of Lent is called Ash Wednesday, from a custom which still prevails in the Catholic church, of sprinkling the head or forehead with ashes. It is the 46th day before Easter, the six intervening Sundays not being counted as part of Lent, nor observed as fast days.

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A special order has issued from Ohio Brigade Headquarters U. R. K. of P. at Dayton. By it all commissioned officers of the 7th Regiment are ordered to report at Agamemnon Lodge No. 11, of Lima, a week from to-day, at two o'clock. The object of the meeting is to select a successor to Col. J. C. Howe, of Kenton, whose term as colonel has expired. Col. Howe will, in all probability, be his own successor.

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The nineteenth of February is the thirtieth anniversary of the establishment of the Knights of Pythias order. The lodges throughout the country will celebrate the event.

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A lodge of Elks has been organized in Bucyrus, and will be instituted tomorrow evening. The following officers were elected at a meeting last evening: Exalted Ruler, John E. Hopley; Esteemed Leading Knight, P. J. Carrol; Esteemed Loyal Knight, George Linser; Esteemed Lecturing Knight, R. G. Hunt; Secretary, Carl Roehr; Treasurer, Jas B. Gormly, Jr.; Tyler, Chas Bryant; Trustees, H. E. Valentine, S. J. Hight and George Heath.

SOLD FOR CASH.

Mrs. John Black Purchases the Fitzgerald Block.

One of the biggest transfers of property that has been made in Lima for some time, was the sale of the three story brick block at Main and Wayne streets, occupied by the J. M. Scalts Company, and owned by Thomas Fitzgerald, to Mrs. John Black, for $20,000 cash.

The deal was made on the quiet and has been hanging fire for several days and Mrs. Black was not the only one who had in a bid for the property. Levi Hetrick had its purchase in view and it was considered a cheap piece of property at $20,000. He left the city a day or so ago preparatory to consummating the deal when Mrs. Black swelled the figure, $18,000 offered by Mr. Hetrick, to $20,000 and the deal was closed up late yesterday afternoon.

THE WORLD AGAIST HER.

Opera House To-night.

The hard rains last evening had but little effect on the patronage of the New Haven Opera House, and an excellent audience welcomed Agnes Wallace Villa in her well-known and well-liked play, "The World Against Her." Had the author, Mr. Frank Harvey, written especially for Miss Villa, he could hardly have fitted her better than in the character of Madge Carleton, an honest and a faithful wife, who sacrifices herself in favor of others. The hearty recalls evidenced the success that Miss Villa made in the part and speaks well for large audiences. Robert Neil gives good support as leading man, and the entire company is a good working one.—*New Haven Record.*

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

Judge Richie was in Ottawa to-day and there was no session of Common Pleas Court.

NEW CASES.

Nancy Rupert vs. George Rupert. Divorce. Neglect.

The Modern Invalid

Has tastes medicinally, in keeping with other luxuries. A remedy must be pleasantly acceptable in form, purely wholesome in composition, truely beneficial in effect and entirely free from every objectionable quality. If really ill he consults a physician; if constipated he uses the gentle family laxative Syrup of Figs.

Small Pox in Toledo.

Small pox has broken out in Toledo. A case was reported to the health department of that city yesterday afternoon. The victim is a seventeen-year-old boy. The case is a genuine one and has created a great deal of excitement in the city.

The "Renwick" Stiff Hat is equal to any $5.00. hat. Michael's are agents; selling price, $3.00. 95-5t

Died This Morning.

Mrs. Samuel Bedford, aged seventy-eight years, died this morning at her home, four miles from this city, on the Findlay road, the cause of her death, being consumption. Arrangefor the funeral have not been completed.

Attend

Michael's Clearance Sale of clothing and shoes, 93 7t

KIDDING

Results in One Man Getting Badly Beaten About the Head.

A Bartender Put to Sleep for a Few Hours Yestesday Afternoon

A kidding match yesterday afternoon resulted in a lively fight in J. J. Murray's saloon, in the Flager block, on East Market street, and came near resulting seriously.

The proprietor had just stepped from the saloon when a young man named Tod Crist entered, and "Doc" Smith, the bartender, concluded to have some fun by squirting water from a syringe over him, much to the amusement of the bystanders. Crist took the joke good-naturedly but told Smith if he repeated the trick he would throw a chew of tobacco onto the bar mirror. Smith squirted some more water over Crist who carried out his threat. The kidding was in this way continued until both men got mad and Smith threw a beer glass at Crist, who grabbed a shovel and hit the bartender a couple of blows over the head. At this they clinched and wrestled about until they came in contact with a pool table. Crist got one hand loose and grabbing a pool ball he held Smith around the neck with one arm and with his other hand he beat the right side of his head with the pool ball until the spectators discovered that Smith was getting badly beaten, and separated the combatants.

Smith's head and face were

COVERED WITH BLOOD.

He did not seem to be hurt much until a few minutes after the fight was over, when he began to rave like a mad man. Proprietor Murray had, in the meantime, entered the place, and, not suspecting anything serious had happened, fired Crist out. In a few minutes Smith began to lose his head and had to be assisted upstairs by some of his friends, who got him onto a bed. Dr. Landick was summoned and dressed the wounds, but the patient's head was so badly swollen that he could not determine then how badly he was injured. Smith was unconscious for nearly three hours, after which he continued to improve, and was able to sit up after supper.

When the report became circulated that Smith had been fatally injured, Crist became frightened and tried to evade the police whom, he learned, were looking for him. He was, however, captured about 4:30 o'clock, by Chief Stockton and policeman Wingate, who found him in the rear of the Senate saloon, opposite the C., H. & D. depot. He appeared to care very little about being locked up but

APPEARED GREATLY RELIEVED

when he learned late last night that Smith was not dangerously injured.

This morning Smith got up and seemed to feel none the worse for his beating, excepting the fact that he had a very sore head. He told Murray he was ready for work, but the latter informed him that his services were no longer needed, since he was the originator of the trouble. After being discharged he gathered up his clothes, left Murray's place and has not been seen about the place since. It is supposed that he left the city to evade being arrested for fighting.

Young Crist was taken before Mayor McComb and released about ten o'clock this morning after a lecture was administered by His Honor.

Smith came here from Toledo several months ago. He claimed to be a pugilist and was at one time matched against Ike Boone, of Kenton. He acted as referee at the last fight between Dan Bayliff and Chas Smith, of Marion, Ind.

There Will Be

A free scientific lecture at the assembly room at the court house, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, by the noted lecturer J. E. Remsburg. Subject, "False Claims."

All are invited. 94-4t

Don't Fail

to attend Michael's Clearance Sale of winter goods. 93 7t

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and 1000 mile tickets, at two cents per mile, for sale at the Ohio Southern City Office. 96 3t

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Gloves, Underwear, etc., sold at your price, at Michael's. 93 7t

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FOR RENT—I have a house of 5 rooms, with double cellar and all modern conveniences, for rent. Situated on West Spring street, fourth house west of Metcalf street, recently occupied by E. E. Rhue.
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GOOD NEWS TO THE PUBLIC!

Another chance. THE MAMMOTH have decided to continue their One-Quarter Off Sale until Saturday Night, February 17th, which positively closes the greatest special sale ever inaugurated in the history of the Clothing trade of Lima.

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On every article in our store. No old shelf worn goods, but everything new and stylish. If you have not already attended this great money saving sale, come at once. Don't hesitate, but come. It is a saving of 25 per cent. on every dollar you spend with us, or, in other words, you buy the best merchandise for just seventy-five cents on the dollar. Remember this is the only legitimate special discount sale in Lima where they do as they advertise.

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